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## **AMENDMENT / RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL**

Applicant : Tapsak, et al.  
App. No : 10/695,636  
Filed : October 28, 2003  
For : SILICONE COMPOSITION FOR  
BIOCOMPATIBLE MEMBRANE  
Examiner : Margaret G. Moore  
Art Unit : 1712

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## **Mail Stop Amendment**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on December 6, 2005, please find the enclosed amendments and remarks

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.